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E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: BDIS, SENV, BEXP, CO
SUBJECT: TRADE COMPLAINT FAULTY PUMP INSTALLED AT CARTAGENA

1. EMBOFF WAS VISITED TODAY BY: LUIS BUSTAMANTE DEL VALLE,
ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR, EMPRESAS MUNICIPALES DE CARTAGENA,
LA MATUNA, EDIFICIO EMPRESAS PUBLICAS, PISO 4, CARTAGENA,
TELEPHONE 44 790.

2. MR BUSTAMANTE STATED THAT HIS FIRM HAD PURCHASED A PUMP
FROM: AURORA PUMP, 800 AIRPORT ROAD, N. AURORA, ILLINOIS
60542. THIS PUMP HELD A GURANTY OF OPERATION FOR 5,000
HOURS. IT HAS STOPPED OPERATING AFTER 3,000 HOURS AND IS
COMPLETELY INOPERATE AND BEYOND REPAIR. MR. BUSTAMANTE
HAS BEEN IN TOUCH WITH HERBERT W. JENDRACH, MANAGER OF
FERROSTAAL DE COLOMBIA, LTDA., BOGOTA, WHO IS AURORA
PUMP'S REPRESENTATIVE IN COLOMBIA. MR. JENDRACH HAS
CONTACTED HIS PRINCIPAL BUT NO RESPONSE HAS BEEN
RECEIVED TO DATE.

3. BUSTAMANTE CONTINUED THAT SINCE CARTAGENA IS NOW
SHORT APPROXIMATELY FIFTEEN THOUSAND CUBIC METERS OF
WATER PER DAY, THE WATER SUPPLY, ALREADY DECREASED BY
DROUGHT, IS SERIOUSLY THREATENED.

4. BUSTAMANTE HAS ASKED THE EMBASSY TO CONTACT AURORA PUMP
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AND THEIR PARENT (VETI-LINE, LAYNE AND BOWLER, P.O. BOX 1300,
LA PUENTE, CALIFORNIA 91749) TO MAKE SURE THAT ACTION IS
BEING TAKEN ON JENDRACH'S REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE.

5. SINCE MATTER IS OF SOME URGENCY TO CITY OF CARTAGENA,
REQUEST USDOC CONTACT MENTIONED FIRMS AND INQUIRE ABOUT ACTION
BEING TAKEN. PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST.

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